

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

CHRISTOPHER SADOWSKI,

Plaintiff,

-against-

HNGN, INC., d/b/a HNGN.COM,

Defendant.

Case No. 1:22-cv-08442-JLR

**DEFAULT JUDGMENT**

**WHEREAS** this matter came before the Court on Plaintiff Christopher Sadowski's ("Plaintiff") application for entry of a default judgment against Defendant HNGN, INC. d/b/a HNGN.COM ("Defendant" or "HNGN") under Rule 55(b)(2) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and Local Rule 55.2.

**WHEREAS** Plaintiff filed his application for entry of default judgment seeking \$45,000 in statutory damages for copyright infringement, \$3,170.00 in attorneys' fees, and \$507.00 in costs.

**WHEREAS**, Defendant has not filed any opposition to Plaintiff's application for default judgment. The Court scheduled a hearing for Plaintiff's application for April 17, 2023, and Defendant failed to appear.

**THEREFORE, IT IS ADJUDGED AND ORDERED** that Plaintiff's application for entry of default judgment is GRANTED pursuant to Fed.R.Civ.P. 55(b)(2); it is

**FURTHER ORDERED** that the Court declares that Defendant violated Plaintiff's exclusive rights under 17 U.S.C. § 106 of the Copyright Act by engaging in unauthorized copying of Plaintiff's registered work; it is

**FURTHER ORDERED** that, for the reasons stated on the record at the April 17, 2023 proceeding, Defendant shall pay \$15,000 in statutory damages under 17 U.S.C. § 504(c); it is

**FURTHER ORDERED** that Defendant shall pay \$3,170.00 in attorneys' fees, and \$507.00 in costs pursuant to 17 U.S.C. § 505 and Fed.R.Civ.P 54(d); it is

**FURTHER ORDERED**, that Defendant shall post-judgment interest under 28 U.S.C. § 1961; it is

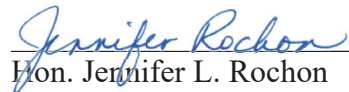
**FURTHER ORDERED** that this Court retains jurisdiction over any matter pertaining to this judgment; and it is

**FURTHER ORDERED** that this case is dismissed, and the Clerk of the Court shall remove it from the docket of the Court.

This is a final appealable order. *See* FED. R. APP. P. 4(a).

Dated: April 17, 2023

**SO ORDERED.**

  
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Hon. Jennifer L. Rochon  
United States District Judge